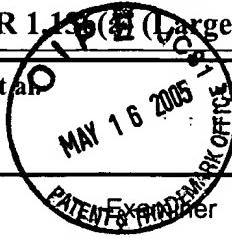


**COMBINED AMENDMENT & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF
TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.15(e) (Large Entity)**

Docket No.
Muller-27-1

In Re Application Of: Michael Brock et al



Application No.	Filing Date	PATENT EXAMINER	Customer No.	Group Art Unit	Confirmation No.
09/890,696	12/16/2001	Wang, Shengjun	000039703	1617	6217

Invention: Microemulsion Containing Alkanol-ammonium Salts of Fatty Alcohol Sulfates and/or Alkylpolyalkylene-glycolether Sulfates

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a combined amendment and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of January 12, 2005 in the above-identified application.

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

- One month Two months Three months Four months Five months

from: **April 12, 2005** Date _____ until: **May 12, 2005** Date _____

The fee for the amendment and extension of time has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST # PREV. PAID FOR	NUMBER EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	20 -	20 =	0	x \$50.00	\$0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	2 -	3 =	0	x \$200.00	\$0.00
FEE FOR AMENDMENT					\$0.00
FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME					\$120.00
TOTAL FEE FOR AMENDMENT AND EXTENSION OF TIME					\$120.00

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The fee for the amendment and extension of time is to be paid as follows:

- A check in the amount of **\$120.00** for the amendment and extension of time is enclosed.
- Please charge Deposit Account No. _____ in the amount of _____
- The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. **02-4345**
- Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.
 - Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.
- If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. _____
- Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

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